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L. A. Man Captures Eagle Bare Handed

"Blackie", Dick Joseph's big golden eagle, has a mate.

It all came about Friday in one of the most unusual incidents recorded here for many moons. It appears that two Los Angeles men, Virgil Brockman and Donald Mitchell, were riding a motorcycle along the highway between Hobart Mills and Sierraville when the huge eagle, measuring more than six feet across the wings, swooped down from a ledge, narrowly missing the speeding vehicle and crashed into a clump of bushes.

Apparently stunned, the eagle ran for a short distance with the two men in pursuit. It was finally captured in a patch of brush and, not realizing the terrific power of the three-inch talons and the sharp hooked beak Brockman reached bare handed into the clump and seized the bird by the legs and throat.

Holding it thus he brought the captive into Truckee where it was placed in the cage with "Blackie" at the Gateway Motel. After a few futile atempts to free itself, the eagle settled down to a life of ease with his new-found friend and latest reports were that they were getting along splendidly.

Brockman, after learning of the powers of the eagle when cornered looked thankfully at two undamaged arms and with Mitchell continued on south.

H & W CLUB PUTS ON SUCCESSFUL DINNER AT LAKE ON MONDAY

TAHOE CITY, Oct. 30— Seventy-five members and guests of the H and W Philanthropic club of Meeks Bay attended the Cabaret Dinner at the new club house on Monday night Guests came from Reno, Truckee and all lake shore communities. A delicious baked Virginia ham featured the menu provided by the chef, Charles R. Heller.

Gibson Benadum of Meeks Bay and Pasadena was master of ceremonies and also rendered a fancy soft shoe dance. Benadum was formerly a professional trouper and also a teacher of dancing. He was accompanied by Andy Oresch on the zither harp.

Other numbers on the program were an accordion solo by Miss Joyce Stoddard, specialty songs by Billy Callender and Bobby Stark, a vocal duet by Peggy Stewart and Betty Wheat, a recitation by A. E. Lake, the rye waltz by Linda Cramer and Ned Stewart, a zither solo by Oresch Billy Callender in a black-face imitation of Eddie Cantor, a piano solo by Bobby Schumacher, and piano selections by Floyd Yeakel. Dances old and modern were enjoyed until a late hour.

On November 10 the club will sponsor a moving picture show consisting of a variety program furnished by Harold Ambrose. Refreshments will be served at a small charge and dancing will be enjoyed later.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Schumacher and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stark are the November committee.

The next business meeting will be held Monday, Nov. 3, with Mr. and Mrs. Nile Luke of Meadow Park entertaining the members with a Backwards Party.

HALLOWE'EN DANCE AT VET'S BUILDING PUT ON BY T. V. F. D.

Members of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department this Saturday night are sponsoring their annual Hallowe'en Dance at the Veterans' Memorial building, offering fun seekers of the region an evening of entertainment. Rollie Barton's orchestra, which has gained a good reputation here with past performances, has been engaged to provide the music.

Chester Matson, who is heading the committee in charge of the affair, reports that advance ticket sales indicate a big turnout and the department is all set to again prove their ability as hosts.

AUTO CRASH CLAIMS DONNER SURVIVOR'S KIN AT 83 YEARS

SAN JUAN BAUTISTA, Oct. 30— Death called Miss Adelaide Breen, 83, yesterday following an automobile accident. She was the daughter of John Breen, survivor of the Donner Party tragedy of 1846.

Her father, the son of Patrick and Margaret Breen, was the eldest of nine children of the family who were trapped on the shore of what was then Truckee Lake in the winter of 1846-47.

The Breens, with the Donner Party, left the lake on March 3, 1847, under the protection of a relief expedition from Fort Sutter. Caught in a blizzard and seperated from their resuers the party suffered for nine more days before a second rescue.

John Breen almost perished in Starved Camp when hunger and weakness caused him to collapse and fall into the fire pit. He was dragged to safety and revived with a small amount of sugar his mother had saved for an emergency.

Breen was married in 1852 and was the father of 10 children, Adelaide being the fourth.

In Sacramento—

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan Sanders and family are visiting this week in Sacramento.

Up from Oakland—

George Moore was here from Oakland for a few days during the week.

EVA MORO WEDDED TO ANGELO BESIO IN SPARKS OCT. 29th

At 3:30 p. m. yesterday, Miss Eva Moro became the bride of Angelo Besio at a ceremony performed by Rev. P. H. Willis in Sparks. The bride wore a dress of old gold with black and gold accessories. Her costume was set off by a gardenia corsage.

Robert Learion was best man and the bride's sister, Mrs. Gino Giovannoni, was matron of honor.

Present at the ceremony were Mr and Mrs. John Moro, the bride's parents; Steve Besio, father of the bridegroom; Mrs. Andres Oroz and son, Martin, Mrs. F. W. Gaiennie, Miss Tina Gini, Miss Dorothy Barrett and Robert Bowers.

All the men wore white carnations in their lapels while the women wore gardenia corsages.

The newlyweds left for a honeymoon in the Superior Valleys after a wedding supper at the Toscano Hotel in Reno. Upon their return they will reside in Truckee.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Besio were born in Floriston and graduated from the local schools. Besio is employed at Rossarini's store here.

The many friends of the popular young couple wish them every happiness in the years to come.

EVERETT-KENDRICK NUPTIAL KNOT TIED IN RENO SATURDAY

A wedding of local interest was solemnized in the Methodist church in Reno Saturday when Miss Eloise Everett became the bride of William Roy Kendrick. Both young people are well known here where they attended school and were prominent members of the younger set.

The ceremony was attended by members of the two families with Richard Ramsey of Mare Island acting as best man and Miss Bonnie Lee Everett attending her sister.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Everett of Fair Oaks and formerly of Truckee where Everett was pastor of the Community Church. She graduated from the local grammar school and was active in student activities in the high school.

Kendrick is the son of Mrs. Della Burlingham of Truckee. He also attended high school here but graduated from the Los Banos school. Two years ago he enlisted in the navy and is now a member of the crew of the Saint Mihiel, government transport ship.

Following the wedding, the party went to Fair Oaks where Mrs. Everett had prepared a wedding supper, served prior to the departure of the newlyweds to Oakland where they will make their home. Mrs. Burlingham attended the wedding and the supper.

FOREST CHIEF SAYS FIRE SEASON OVER DUE TO MOISTURE

Acting Supervisor E. L. Baxter of the Tahoe National Forest announced this week that the fire season has officially closed on all lands within the boundaries of the forest. Recent rains have been sufficient to permit the lifting of all restrictions in force during the hot and dry summer months. Smoking will no longer be restricted to posted areas, campfire permits no longer needed and a shovel and axe not required in each car traversing the forest roads. Baxter cautioned, however, that burning permits are needed until Dec. 1 and can be secured from the various ranger headquarters and the Nevada City supervisor's office.

Week-end Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McDougall of Bellingham Wash., spent the weekend here as house guests of Mr. and Mrs V. E. Pearson. The couple are relatives of Mr. Pearson.

Two Truckee Men Named On Board Of Donner Ass'n

Auburn Men Dominate Board of Donner Trails Booster Group.

AUBURN, Oct. 30— Two Truckee men, Tom D. Ryan and E. L. Loynd, were named on the board of 25 directors of the Donner Trail Association under the articles of incorporation approved by Secretary of State Paul Peek recently.

Also on the board are Herstle Jones of Rainbow Tavern; James Gould, Cisco; J. O. Jones, Dennis Jones and J. J. Wegmann, Soda Springs; two from Dutch Flat; two from Emigrant Gap; one from San Francisco and 13 from Auburn.

The purpose of the association, as stated in the articles of incorporation is as follows:

"To publish authentic information regarding the resources, opportunities and attractions of the territory along Highway 40 and particularly the portion included along trails and routes traversed in the early days by the Donner Party and other pioneer settlers.

"To provide a service of advice and direction and assistance to persons desiring to visit and to settle in the territory.

"To participate in activities for the development of northern California.

"To cooperate with other communities and all civic, commercial and other organizations for the development of northern California.

"To assist in the development and protection of all scenic attractions and points of interest along the Donner Trail and appropriately mark these points."

The articles provide that the principal office for the carrying out of the business of the association shall be in Placer county. Also, any resident of the state can be a member of the association after being duly elected by the board of directors.

E. G. HARRIS MOVED TO ROSEVILLE BY S. P.; SON IS BETTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Harris left Truckee for Roseville where he has been transferred by the Southern Pacific. Their son, Earl, who has been confined to a Chico hospital from a dislocated vertebra, is showing marked improvement but will be in the hospital for two or three weeks more.

STATE REGISTAR TO SPEAK TO WYETHIA CLUB AT LUNCHEON

Howard Deems, registrar of motor vehicles for California, will be the guest speaker of the Wyethia Women's Club at its luncheon meeting next Thursday afternoon, Nov. 6, at 1 P. M.

Reservations must be made with Mrs. Laura Gaiennie not later that Monday. The fare will be arranged along a "semi-health luncheon" menu and will be 50 cents a plate.

TRUCKEE WOMAN IS NAMED IN HIGH POST OF STATE'S O. E. S.

Mrs. Hannah Stewart, past matron of Truckee Chapter No. 116, was appointed district deputy grand matron of the 8th district of the Order of the Eastern Star at the grand chapter which convened in Long Beach last week. The district includes Auburn Grass Valley, Nevada City, Georgetown, Colfax, Penryn, Dutch Flat and Truckee.

Mrs. Stewart will attend the school of instruction to be held in San Francisco beginning Nov. 4.

The Truckee chapter of the American Red Cross shipped the following articles to county headquarters in Nevada City on Oct. 29:

Six children's skirts, seven children's dresses, 12 pair of children's mittens, four children's beanes two sweaters, two pair of socks, and one scarf.

.: Sun :. Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

In looking over a summary of a survey just completed by the state chamber of commerce we were surprised at some of the figures revealed—figures, incidentally, which prove beyond any quetsion that winter sports as an industry as well as a recreation are a boon to a community which will support them. Some of these figures show that there were 1,409,267 trips to the snow involving 72,069,756 miles of travel by automobile alone with $1,044,559 spent for equipment and apparel. As near as can be determined a total season's expenditure of over $15,000,000 was involved in winter sports. Those are figures for California alone and reports were taken only from 24 cities. They tell a story which is hard to dispute.

In these days of uncertain futures, we believe that the navy is offering a most liberal advantage to young men. Many facts have been pointed out during this week bearing on the advantages of an enlistment in the U. S. Navy coming upon the heels of Navy Day last Monday, and we doubt if the courses prescribed by this branch of the service can be duplicated. Free job training, good pay, good food, free clothing, free medical care, finest sports, travel, adventure and a certainty for the future are among the outstanding benefits. We ask you to scan the advertisement on another page of the Sierra Sun today for more complete information.

Don't forget you have a date on Saturday night at the Truckee Fire Department's Hallowe'en Dance. The stage is all fixed for a lot of good fun for young and those not so young.

SOUTH AMERICAN TRIP SUBJECT OF LIONS CLUB TALK

Reg Hornberger, guest of W. M. Englehart, Sr., who recently returned from an interesting trip through South America, gave a word picture of his adventure during the four month tour before a meeting of the Truckee Lions Club last night. He made the trip via a freighter and visited some of the most interesting spots in our neighboring countries.

Hornberger touched upon the habits of the natives and told of the various cities and countries which he visited.

President C. J. Bowers presided at the meeting.

SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE BOWLING IN RECREATION TIME

Bowling has been added to the physical education curriculum at the Meadow Lake Union High School. On Monday the boys' class meets at the new bowling alley and on Wednesday the girls spend their recreation period there. If the present arrangement works out, the grammar school may have a period a week of bowling.

In the first week's contest for high score Norrie Waddington was first for the men with 179 and Mrs Gladys Fontana was first for the women with 149. So far this week Doc Rockholm and Don Mathes each have 197 for men's high and Miss Verna Pearson is high for the women with 155.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO HOLD ROLL CALL AT FEAST NEXT WEEK

Summit Temple No. 79, Pythian Sisters, will observe their annaul roll call with a banquet on Thursday, Nov. 13. There will be a short session at 7:00 o'clock in the Odd Fellows Hall, followed by the banquet in Capitol Hall.

Reservations may be made through Mesdames Laura Gaiennie, Gladys Fontana, Mary Giovannoni or Dorothy Garibaldi.

U. S. Navy Turns To Ads In Super-Recruiting Drive; Opportunities Offered

Campaign Seeks Young Men Of High Standards For Naval Service.

Last Monday, Oct. 27, was Navy Day throughout the United States. On that date the U. S. Navy Recruiting Service launched an extensive recruiting campaign in rural California and Nevada. While the old recruiting system was adequate for normal and anticipated needs, the increasing demands upon our Navy has sharply increased the number of men needed.

The recruiting service, through Batten, Barton, Durstine and Osborn this week begins a large advertising campaign in newspapers of communities of under 50,000 population. The reason for this is that the Navy finds its best men come from the smaller towns.

To augment the program locally, Doug Barrett, Sierra Sun columnist has been named as Navy editor of this paper.

Any man between 17 and 31 may enlist in the regular navy while the naval reserve accepts enlistees from the 17 to 50 age group. If you enlist at 17 you will be discharged when you reach 21. If under 21 you must have your parents consent. Regular enlistments are for six years, reserve for four with the assurance of discharge from actual service at the duration of the emergency. Only men of highest character are accepted and rigid physical requirements must be complied with.

Chances for advancement in the navy are high with the possibility of earning $126 and keep per month within 5½ years. If naval service is made a career, after 30 years you are retired at three-quarter pay for life.

In addition, the navy offers extensive vacations with pay, training courses that would cost $1500 a year absolutely free, a 70% increase in pay after four months, room board and clothes. Too, you have a chance for appointment to the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis with a commission at graduation.

Further details of naval enlistment may be obtained by communicating with the Navy Editor of the Sierra Sun either in person or by clipping the coupon in the ad to be found on page five this week.

RANK OF ESQUIRE TO BE CONFERRED AS LODGE MEETS

The rank of esquire will be conferred on a class at tomorrow night's meeting of Summit Lodge No. 54 Knights of Pythias. Master of Work Fred Kohler will have charge of the initiatory work.

Kohler will report on visits made by him during the week. Last Saturday he attended a major district convention at Chico and Tuesday he witnessed the conferring of the rank of page at Amity Lodge No. 8 in Reno.

GOOD PROGRAM AT DONNER SLATED IN WEEK TO COME

The Donner Theater programs for November were issued this week and contain many outstnding features.

During the current week the most widely advertised show is Here Comes Mr. Jordan, a tale of the supernatural prize-fighter who dies by mistake and has to be put back. This unusual show plays Sunday and Monday with Robert Montgomery, Claude Rains and Rita Johnson.

EVA GABOR

Other feature attractions this week will be Too Many Blondes with Rudy Vallee and Helen Parish on Saturday and Richard Arlen and Eva Gabor in Forced Landing on Wednesday.

Hallowe'en Affair For Young Folks On Friday Night

Rotary Club Is Sponsor Of Annual Frolic For Truckee Young People.

The annual Hallowe'en party for the grammar and high school students, sponsored by the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club, will be held in the Veterans' Memorial Building Friday evening, Oct. 31.

Once again, all the boys and girls and their parents and friends are invited to attend the festivities. There will be contests, costume awards and refreshments, to be followed by a dance.

Bernard Corrigan, high school teach and Rotarian, is chairman of the affair.

At Monday night's meeting of the club Morgan Huntington, E. M., told of his personal experiences in Yugoslavia. He was the guest of Ernie Panelli, program chairman. Oscar Jones presided at the session.

Guests included Tom Griffen, R. P. Bick, W. F. Wilkie, Sr., Al Fontana, M. C. Hayes, W. F. Flickenger, W. S. Hooson, P. Schuburd and Robert Bottel.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC EXTENDS SIDING IN TRUCKEE 1326 FEET

To speed the movement of heavy national defense traffic over its lines through this town, Southern Pacific is prepared to extend its Truckee siding a distance of 1326 feet east, it was announced today by R. P. Bick, local agent for the railroad.

According to Bick, the work will cost over $4,000.

LIBRARY BOOSTERS TO MEET TONIGHT TO HEAR REPORTS

The community library committee will hold a meeting in the primary room of the grammar school tonight at 8:00 o'clock.

At the meeting Mrs. Clara Hayes, committee secretary, will report on various legal aspects of forming a library district and Mrs. Irene Englehart will give a report of the subcommittee on location.

25 FIRES IN TRUCKEE FORESTS REPORTED BY FOREST RANGER

Frequent light rain and snow storms have practically eliminated fire danger in the Truckee Ranger District of the Tahoe National Forest, according to Ranger H. I. Snider.

"To date we had only 25 fires on the Truckee District, none of which reached one-quarter acre in size, which is a record unexcelled during my 16 years of service at Truckee," Snider states.

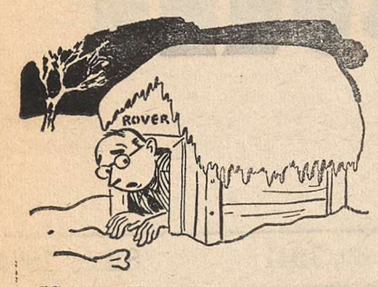
Lightning caused ten of the 25 fires this year, while careless smokers were responsible for nine fires, and campers leaving unextinguished fires caused three fires. Children playing with matches, summer residents throwing hot ashes in pine needles and hot railroad brakeshoe scale were each responsible for one fire.

DIGESTIS MOVE TO ALBANY TO BE NEAR AILING DAUGHTER

Mrs. J. Digesti and son, Harry, have gone to Albany where they will be with the former's daughter, Mrs. Gino Pierotti, who is recovering from a serious case of double pneumonia. The Digestis plan to return to their home here in a couple of months. Harry will attend high school in Albany while in the bay area.

Next time I won't wait to phone

Truckee 25



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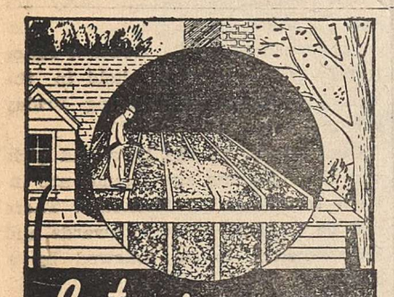

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My Place In The Sun

by DOUG BARRETT

During recent weeks Truckeee's citizenry was enriched by two likely loking young fellows in the persons of Walt Becker and Harold Kimball from my old home state of Idaho. In case anyone doesn't know who they are, the boys run the new bowling alley on Commercial Row. To date, they have done a fair business and I hope they continue to do so. The bowling alley will undoubtedly prove a major community asset in that this winter it will tend to keep visiting winter sportsters in town rather than forcing them to go afield in search of entertainment in the evenings. There is talk, too, of the various organizations around town getting up teams and having competition along that line. Anything at all that emphasizes community spirit as such team play would is advantageous to Truckee.

When I was down in Sacramento last week I ran into Charlie Carrau and Mrs. O. B. Wergeland. Both were loking well and sent their best to the folks at home.

I might, at this juncture, urge that you make a point of attending the Firemen's Hallowe'en Dance come Saturday night. In years past this affair has been the by-word with a good time for all and this year's dance will undoubtedly prove the rule.

STREET SEENS: A bunch of the boys telling Bud Zorich that army life won't be so bad....Bud goes on Nov. 5....H. A. L. Jones posting a letter at the P.O....Bowling Champ Doc Rockholm telling his friends how it's done....Dan Smith reclining at leisure in his barber chair....Kenny Foster in agony with a sore tooth... all sorts of people with nasty colds in varying degrees...Ben Tonini says he got his arguing with the women ....a man of his age and knowledge really should know that you can't win anyway....Essie Polyanich S. F bound for a week.

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Los Angeles was selected as a typical American city, and the survey was made there according to an article which appeared recently in the "Business Education World." The first thing attempted in the compiling of the survey was to determine what percentage of the large business houses employed male stenographers. It was found, to the surprise of every one concerned, that 50 per cent of the companies investigated employed male stenographers. Only 34 per cent of the companies said they really preferred girls, while 15 per cent said they had no preference for one sex over the other.

The mot striking discovery made was that boys were given most of the jobs that offered the greatest opportunities. In most instances girls were placed in routine positions where there was little or no chance for advancement.

It was found that the olwest salary paid by a large and responsible concern was around $100 a month. The average salary amounted to $140 a month and the highest salary ran up to $275.

Some surprising facts were brought to light. One indicated that certain companies make a specialty of employing male stenographers, and that it is hard for girls to find employment with them. Here are five companies that specify young men when taking on additional help:

1. Oil companies employ large numbers of male stenographers, for this is essentially a man's industry. The work is strenuous and the male stenographer is better able to handle the job. The contacts are with men and the refineries are usually located some distance from the city.

2. Railroad companies employ male stenographers almost exclusively. The reasons most frequently given for doing so were the desire to train these stenographers for higher positions and the desirability of men working with men.

3. City transportation companies have found that men are better suited to their requirements, as it is frequently necessary for the stenographer to travel about the city and to take dictation on accident cases.

4. Wholesale fruit companies use male stenographers for two reasons. First, it is the customary policy of fruit companies to develop their officials and executives within the organization; and it was believed that stenographic work afforded excellent training for these higher positions. Second, the contacts are mostly with the fruit growers, who are men.

5. Airplane factories use many male stenogaphers, although they were not given actual preference over women stenographers. It was the opinion of seveal employment officers that women were more efficient and made better stenographers because of the routine nature of the work.

So, boys, if you're looking for a job, or if you want to get started in business, why don't you learn stenography. It has proved a reliable stepping stone to many an important position.

EDITORIAL

SNIFFLE SEASON

Come Fall months, comes the sniffle season. That old blow-hard, the common cold, is back again, plaguing its unhappy victims and baffling the best of our medical experts.

Earlier this month, the Gallup poll found no fewer than 13 million Americans afflicted with colds, with the Pacific Coast in front rank in number of sufferers. Consider the enormous waste this represents in work delayed, in wages lost, in lowered vitality and efficiency!

Though the common cold holds first place as the most contagious type of disease known, years of painstaking research have so far yielded no really reliable means of attacking or forestalling it. Far more deadly diseases have long since been vanquished by the brilliant and often heroic experimental work of medical men. But to date, the obstinate common cold has refused to tell what its secret weapon is.

However, if science can't offer a definite remedy, it can tell us what to do about colds. The surest remedy is rest and the most reliable preventative treatment is to follow the dictates of common sense. Get plenty of sleep, moderate exercise, and follow a well-balanced diet.

Whether the United States should have a completely independent aid force, as many Army airmen believe, or whether the air force should be left in its present status, a battle royal is due when the Senate begins hearings at an early date to seperate control of the air force from older departments. It is significant, however, that the War Department has volunarily proposed a plan giving much greater autonomy to members of the air force in dealing with appropriations, research and other functions can mean only one thing—the War Department sees the handwriting on the wall.

At the Churches

Catholic
Rev. Father Wm. Daly, Pastor
Telephone 132

Until further notice there will be only one Mass in this parish each week—at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

Community-Methodist
Rev. G. J. E Keetch, Minister
Telephone 206

Sunday school, open to all ages, convenes at 10 a.m. each Sunday. Morning worship with a sermon by the minister is held at 11. Young People's League meets at six Sunday evening. The Community Church is under the auspices of the Methodist church and the parish house is

Prayer meetings are held Thursday evenings at 7:30 o'clock.

Gospel Mission
Rev. Maizie Sherrod, Pastor
On East Commercial Row

Services held Wednesday, Friday and Sunday evening at 7:30 and at 11:00 Sunday morning.

MOST IRISH CHURCH

St. Patrick's Church in San Francisco, with its interior finished in Connemara marble and Caen stone, is called "the most Irish church on this continent."

WOMEN *in the* NEWS

AIRCRAFT WORKERS

Six months ago Vultee Aircraft at Downey, Calif., began hiring women for wrok on the production line. It was just an experiment, but one that has since proved remarkably successful. Women are now employed in practically all departments, although they are said to excel in jobs calling for dexterity, such as in the electrical subassembly department.

WAAF IN EGYPT

The efforts of British women to aid in the war have now extended to the Middle East. Members of the Women's Auxiliary Air Farce are on active duty in Egypt.

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Tahoe Area News Items

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Johnson motored up from Hollywood to their Tahoe Park home on a business trip Saturday, remaining over night at Tahoe Summers Camp.

Mrs. and Mrs. Gerald Lewis of Fleur-de-Lac, the Henry J. Kaiser estate at Tahoe Pines, left last week for Portland and the Pacific Northwest where he has been transferred by the Kaiser company.

Mrs. Henry Worden with her son, James, and her sister, Miss Christine Carroll, left Saturday for Oakland where James will spend the winter.

Constable and Mrs. Harry Johanson left Oct. 29 for San Francisco where he will attend the FBI school of wartime emergency instruction in national defense at the University of San Francisco under N. J. Pieper on Oct. 30-31.

Miss Doris Post of Reno was a weekend guest at the home of Miss Kathleen Starratt.

The Sacramento branch of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club held the first meeting of the new season at the home of Charles Keaster last Thursday night Plans for reorganization and election of officers were on the program.

Mrs. A. M. Henry spent the weekend visiting friends in the bay region

The level of Lake Tahoe on Monday, Oct. 27, was 6226.92 feet with four gates open at the Truckee River Dam outlet and 331 CSF of water leaving the lake. Temperatures on Sunday varied from a high of 49 degrees to a low of 33. Rain Sunday gave .17 inches of precipitation with more storms indicated.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Swanson and son, Jimmy, and Mrs. Jerry Kinkaid of Carmel at a duck dinner on Tuesday. Mrs. Kinkaid has been vacationing at her mother's (Mrs. Swanson) home for a short itme.

Jean Wheat and Al Henry, Jr. were among the guests at the wedding of Miss Martha da Ganna to Albert Snyder in Stockton this weekend.

Several members of the Viking Ski Club of Oakland plan to attend the dance to be given by the Lake Tahoe Ski Club on Nov. 8. If present plans materialize, a Norwegian schottische will be included on the program.

Mrs. C. W. Vernon of Tahoe has been requested to submit a biography and picture to be included in the coming volume of Who's Who in American Poetry.

Mrs. Emma Gargan of Penryn is a guest at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Bliss Hinkle, this week.

Lake Tahoe News

by ANNE B. ANDERSON

CONSTABLE NAMED PRESIDENT OF LAKE TAHOE SKIERS CLUB

TAHOE CITY, Oct. 30— About 40 members and guests of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club met at Tahoe Community Center on Friday night for election of new officers with the following results, Harry Johanson, by unanimous vote, president; Carl Bechdolt, Jr., vice president; Douglas Smith, secretary; A. M. Anderson, treasurer; Floyd V. Carnell, chief of the hill, and Bill LaMarr, C. A. Swanson, Henry Worden, G. W. Atherton, Peter Vanni and Mrs. Harry Johanson. Mrs. Johanson resigned her office the following day and the new president appointed Carl Wheat in her place.

The club feels that it now has a fine set of progressive and energetic officers and an active season is anticipated. Johanson has had much experience as a skier in Canada and Sweden as well as California and is a noted dog team driver. Among the positions he now holds at Tahoe are constable, deputy sheriff, deputy tax collector, deputy coroner, sectional chief of the National Ski Patrol and president of the ski club. He is a graduate in engineering of the University of Sweden at Upsala and has had army aviation training. Bechdolt is one of the most noted California amateur skiers and the other club officers have had years of experience in ski club work.

Discussion of plans to increase the membership roster followed the election and the first social even of the fall season was scheduled as a dance on Saturday, Nov. 8, at the Tahoe Community Center.

The retiring president, A. M. Anderson, treated the group to refreshments of coffee, chocolate and doughnuts after the meeting. Regular weekly meetings will be held every Friday night at the Community Center through the winter.

Movie Star Husky Dies At Tahoe In 10th Year

TAHOE CITY, Oct. 30— Harry Johanson is mourning the loss of his fine old husky dog, Leo, who died last Friday apparently of a heart attack at the age of ten. Leo was the son of Barrow, one of the famous Scotty Allen Malemutes and had been in four western movies, The Call of the Wild, The Country Beyond, Rose Marie and White Fang. He was a very friendly, perfectly trained leader, loved by all who knew him and will be missed by others as well as his master.

Of late years he was trained to pull the first aid toboggan of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club which Johanson built, in company with his teammate, Nero.

The death of Bill Meyers on Saturday is reported at the Veterans' Hospital in Sawtelle from heart failure, Tahoe friends learned.

Miss Lillian Vernon has had one of her oil portraits hung on display at the art building on the University of California campus. She was the only one in a class of 87 to receive this signal honor.

TAHOE LAKE SCHOOL PLANS ACTIVITIES IN PROGRAMS IN WEEK

TAHOE CITY, Oct. 30— Among events scheduled on the program of Tahoe Lake Elementary School this week are two movies from the Audio-Visual Department of the county board of education. The first one on Plant Traps for use in science classes will be shown on Tuesday and the patriotic movie Sons of Liberty will be given Friday afternoon. Also on Friday afternoon, grammar schools of Kings Beach, Truckee and Floriston have been invited to attend the Play Day exercises at the Tahoe school.

New enrollees in the elementary school are Clifford and Robert Dockham of Lake Forest who have transferred from a Tuolumne county school. Another new student is Stanley Pomin, Jr., who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Pomin of Tahoe Park.

Tahoe Duck Hunters Are Active as Season Opens

TAHOE CITY, Oct. 30— Duck hunting is in full swing at Tahoe now. Monday morning John Franklin got one on the lake shore near Simmonds. Jim Wilson of Pomin's returned from a successful trip to Nevada. Ernest H. Pomin of Tahoe Park and J. Ernest Pomin of Idlewild made a trip to Colusa this week for the duck hunting.

TAHOE ITEMS

Mrs. Henry Soll visited her daughter, Msr. Louis Gerken in Sacramento recently and Alice Soll, who is attending California Colleg of Arts and Crafts in Berkeley, was also a guest at the home of her sister at the same time. Alice has a charcoal sketch of a lion on exhibition at school and is doing fine wark there.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sweeney are moving into the Leonard Wehrman home on Lake Street for the winter

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freese of Sacamento called on Tahoe friends on Saturday.

DOMESTIC PESTS

Ten different species of ants habitually invade California households, according to a new free bulletin on ant control published by the University of California College of Agriculture. The Argentine ant, says the bulletin, is the most common of these pests.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people." These words from Proverbs comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, November 2, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. The subject of the Lesson Sermon will be "Everlasting punishment."

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Pyramid Lake Steadily Dwindling

The outlook that Pyramid Lake will remain as it is is "not very rosy" in the eyes of the scientist who has made an exhaustive study of its water level and of the Truckee River runoff, which feeds this famed desert lake in western Nevada.

Unless there is a marked increase in precipitation, Pyramid Lake may shrink to one-fourth its present size George Hardman, chief in irrigation and agronomy of the agricultural experiment station of the University of Nevada, told the student chapter American Society of Civil Engineers at a recent meeting on the campus.

Hardman's talk was based on a study which he has made in collaboration with Cruz Venstrom of the U S. bureau of agricultural economics which has offices on the university campus.

Entitled "A 100-year Record of Truckee River Runoff Estimated from Changes in Levels and Volumes of Pyramid and Winnemucca Lakes," the study was published in the 1941 transactions of the American Geophysical Union.

Fluctuations in levels and volumes of the two lakes were traced from the time of Pyramid Lake's discovery by Capt. John Fremont in 1844 to 1939.

Scanty precipitation and the diversion of Truckee waters for irrigation purposes are the chief factors on which the speaker based his predictions as to the future of the brilliantly colored lake.

Oldtimers who recall the high levels of both lakes in the early part of the century will find little comfort in the two men's study of precipitation records, which indicate that the so-called "wet years" are the exception rather than the rule.

Drouth conditions prevailed on the Truckee watershed for many years prior to 1844, according to available evidence.

In that year Fremont found Pyramid at a low level, and, since he made no mention of another lake in the vicinity, it is concluded that Winnemucca was either very small or entirely dry at the time.

A period of greatly increased precipitation began about 1860, which although broken by brief drouth periods, lasted until about 1917. Since 1917 drouth conditions, comparable in intensity but not in duration to the pre-1840 period, have prevailed.

"The years from 1860 to 1917, and particularly that portion of the period which began in 1890, was unusually moist for this area," Hardman concluded.

The inevitable decline in the lakes' volumes, which began in 1917, and would have continued regardless of other conditions, was hastened by the construction in 1907 of the Derby Canal, which diverts water from the Truckee to the Lahontan reservoir near Fallon.

How this diversion has affected the volumes was illustrated by a chart From a near-peak of 30 million acre feet of water in Pyramid and Winnemucca in 1890, the volume had shrunk to less than 20 million acre feet in 1939 (Winnemucca now being entirely dry). Had all of the Truckee's discharge gone into the lakes, the volume would have fallen to only about 27 million acre feet, it is calculated.

Pyramid Lake's level has declined from an elevation of nearly 3880 feet above sea level in 1890 to a present low of about 3820 feet. This is nearly 40 feet lower than the elevation at which Fremont found it, at the end of a long period of great drouth.

Although there has been a slight increase in Pyramid's volume since 1936, there is little hope for anything but continued gradual shrinkage of the lake, Hardman said. The one circumstance that could prevent it would be another period of unusual precipitation.

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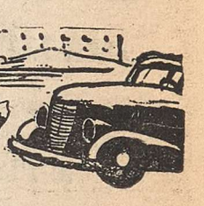

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CHAPTER V

Synopsis

Harley Longstreet, member of DeWitt & Longstreet, brokers, and host to a party celebrating his engagement to Cherry Browne, actree, dies on a trolley fom poison scratched into his hand by a needle-pierced cork in his pocket. DeWitt, his wife Fern and daughter Jeanne, her fiance Christopher Lord, Cherry's vaudeville friend Pollux, Ahearn, friend of DeWitt, Imperiale, middle-aged Latin, and Michael Collins, brawny Irishman, are the guests. At the carbarn Inspector Thumm examines them, the other passengers, the conductor, Charles Wood No. 2101, who says he has often seen Longstreet and DeWitt on his car, and the motorman Guiness No. 409, who corroborates him. Thumm learns later that Longstreet had had an affair with Mrs. Fern DeWitt; that he had a hold on his partner, frequently demanding large sums of money from him. Indeed, each member of the party seems to hold some grievance against Longstreet. Drury Lane, retired Shakespearean actor, is helping Thumm and D. A. Bruno. Lane, who says he thinks he knows the murderer, refers to him as Mr. X, but refuses to nameh im. The three go to the Weehawken Ferry one evening in answere to an unsigned letter purporting to be from somebody on the fatal trolley. About midnight, as a ferry boat comes into the slip, there is great commotion. Lane and Bruno push forward. "Man overboard," rings the cry. "They say he fell from the top deck," explains a ferryman. The men find DeWitt on his way home. The four go to the top deck. "Something rummy here," says Thumm "The body was dragged across the deck. It might be murder." The crushed body of the man is hauled on the deck. The visor on his cap bears the metal number 2101—Third Ave. Railways. His identification card is signed Charles Wood. "The writer of the letter," cried Thumm, "the conductor of the murder car!"

"Everybody see the same thing?"

There was a chorus of assent.

"Anybody see anything eles—maybe get a look at the face as it fell past?"

They looked at each other doubtfully.

"Very well, Jonas! Take their names, occupations, and addresses." The detective stepped into the midst of the group. After Havemeyer came a ferry bootblack, then Mrs. Martha Wilson, returning from work as a scrubwoman in a Times Square office building. The fourth was a large dapper man, Henry Nixon, dressed in a shrieking checked suit. An itinerant salesman of cheap jewelry, he told of strolling forward through the cabin when the body hurled past the window. The other two were young girls, office workers, returning from seeing a show.

When Bruno, Lane and DeWitt went back to the stationmaster's office, Inspector Thumm glared at DeWitt, "When did you get aboard the Mohawk tonight?"

"I tok the 11:30 boat," said DeWitt.

"Were you on the upper passenger deck during any part of the ten-minute ride across the river?" asked Thumm.

"Suspicious again, Inspector? No."

"Did you see Conductor Wood during the trip?"

"No."

"If you had seen him, would you have recognized him?"

"I think so."

Thumm produced a paper package of matches, ripped one away, struck it and lit his cigarette most carefully. "In all the times you've seen Wood on his car, did you ever speak to him?"

"Of course not." DeWitt seemed amused.

"When I stepped on the ferry you were just leaving. You certainly knew an accident had occurred. Weren't you curious enough to stay and find out what had happened?"

"No. I was tired, anxious to get home."

"DeWitt, do you smoke?"

"Cigars," has said slowly.

"Have you any with you?"

Silently DeWitt produced a leather cigar-case, neatly initialed in gold and handed it to Inspector Thumm. Thumm pulled the top away and taking out one of the three cigars, examined it minutely. On the cigar was a gilt band lettered J. O. DeW. "Private brand, DrWitt?"

"Yes. May I ask: What of it?"

Have you ever offered Wood one of these cigars—on the street-car or anywhere else?"

"Certainly not."

"That's fine, DeWitt," chortled the inspector. "Because I've found one of your special brand, initial banded cigars in the vest pocket of the dead man!"

At this moment two men appeared at the door, led by a police captain.

The newcomers were Patrick Guiness, who had driven the streetcar in which Longstreet had been murdered and a lean old man, who said he was Peter Hicks, ferryman on the New York side.

Guiness glanced at Wood's remains, swallowed convulsively and mumbled. "It's Charley, all right."

"Hicks, got anything to offer about Wood's movements tonight?"

The ferryman nodded. "Around half past ten, Charley comes into the ferry terminal and we gabbed a spell as usual."

"You're sure of the time—10:30?"

"Sure I'm sure. Ferries run on schedule. Charley was carryin' his bag, and I asked him if he'd been in town the night before as per usual—y'see, sometimes he stayed over in the City—but no, he says, it was jest a second-hand bag he'd bought on his off-time today; handle of the one'd broke. And—"

"What kind of bag was it?" demanded Thumm.

Hicks pursed his lips. "Jest one o' these cheap black handbags you can buy for a buck anywhere. Square, kind of."

Thumm motioned to Detective Peabody. "See if any of the passengers have bags like Hicks describes.And get a search started on the Mohawk for a bag of that description. Have the boys on the police boat search the water—might have been thrown or fallen overboard."

As Peabody strolled out, Drury Lane said, "Hicks, was Wood smoking a cigar while you chatted?"

Hicks' eyes widened at this apparitional inquisitor, but he replied: "Yes. Matter of fact, I asked Charley for one. Them Cremos he smoked sorta appealed to me. But he said: 'I'm all out, Pete. I'm smoking my last one.' "

"Smart question at that, Mr. Lane," said Thumm grudgingly.

DeWitt sat in his chair as if turned to stone. From his eyes, it was doubtful whether he had even heard the exchange of questions and answers.

"Guiness," said Thumm, "do you know where Wood lived?"

"In a rooming house in Weehawkin—2075 Boulevard."

"Any relatives?"

"He wasn't married and he never said a word about kin."

"Here's another thing," put in Hicks, 'while Charley and me were talkin', all of a sudden he points to a little geezer that gets out of a cab all bundled up and buys a ferry ticket. Charley says to me that the little guy was a broker, John DeWitt the fellow mixed up in the murder on Charley's car."

"What!" roared Thumm. "You say this was around 10:30?" He glared at DeWitt, who had roused now and was sitting, forward, hands gripping the arms of the chair. "Go on, Hicks! Did DeWitt see Wood?"

"Reckon not. He stuck in a corner all by himself. Ast the ferry boat came in he went through the gate and Charley says good-bye and goes in too."

Thumm pushed by the ferryman to the broker. "Hicks, is this the man Wood pointed out to you?"

Hicks stretched his attenuated neck. "Yep."

"Good enough. You two go downstairs and wait for me." Thumm turned to DeWitt and growled: "Now suppose you explain how you were seen boarding the 10:45 ferry, yet a while ago you said it was the 11:30."

DeWitt made a sorry attempt to smile. "Yes, gentlemen, I took the 10:45 boat."

"Why'd you lie, DeWitt?" Thumm shouted.

"That," said DeWitt quietly, "I must refuse to explain. I had an appointment with someone on the 10:45 boat, but the matter was strictly personal and had nothing to do with this ghastly business."

"If the appointment was for the 10:45 boat, why were you on until 11:40?"

"The person I was waiting for did not show up. I remained for four trips, suspecting a delay. At 11:40 I decided to go home."

Thumm snickered. "Who were you waiting for?"

"I'm sorry."

Bruno wagged his finger at DeWitt "You are placing yourself in a most peculiar position. You must realize your story is vey thin. Under the circumstances we can't accept it without specific information."

DeWitt stared at the wall.

"Well," said the Inspector argumentatively, "maybe you'll tell us how the appointment was made. Any record of it?"

"It was made over the phone this morning at my office. My operators keep no record of incoming calls."

"You knew the person who called you?"

DeWitt remained silent.

Thumm grasped Bruno's arm and marched him to a corner. The two men conferred in heated whispers. Drury Lane sighed and closed his eyes.

At this moment Peabody returned from the waiting room with a group in tow and detectives brought in five cheap, black handbags. "Here are some bags lige you described," grinned Peabody, "and their anxious owners."

Thumm opened one of the bags; the scrubwoman uttered an outraged lsittle gasp. Thumm pulled out a bundle of sciled working clothes and a lunch box. On the next bag, the jewelry salesman stepped forward; it contained several cardboard trays covered with cheap tinkets and a pad of order blanks with the man's name imprinted. The next bag revealed a pair of dirty old trousers and some tcols. Thumm looked up and saw the Mohawk pilot regarding him anxiously. "Yours?" "Yes, sir." The fourth contained a dockworker's change of clot hing and a lunch box; the other three baby diapers, a half filled nursing bottle, a packet of safety pins and a little balnket. They belonged to a young couple with a sleeping infant.

Thumm whirled on himselft like a furious dog chasing his own tail. "I'm going over to Wood's rooming house with some of the boys, Bruno."

District Attorney Bruno strolled into Thumm's office, "Well, what happened last night."

"We went out to that rooming house, but got nothing except some mores amples of his handwrwriting. Here they are." Thumm riffled thru a bundle of papers on his desk.

Dr. Schilling marched in. He extracted a long piece of paper from his breast pocket, slapped it on the desk before Thumm.

Thumm and Bruno rapidly read the neatly written report. 'Nothing here," mumbled Thumm. "The usual boloney"

Drury Lane came in. He asked: "Have you the autopsy on Wood's carcass?"

The Inspector picked up Dr. Schilling's report and handed it to Lane without comment.

Drury Lane held it high before his eyes, intently studying the report. It stated that Wood had been unconscious, not dead, at the time he was thrown overboard. This, it went on, from unmistakable signs of assault on that part of the head which had not been crushed, and substantiated by a small quantity of water in the lungs, indicating Wood had been alive for a few seconds after plunging into the water and before being crushed. The scar on the left leg was estimated to have been at least 20 years old. There also was a two-year old appendicitis scar. The man had weighed 202 pounds and had been six feet and half-inch tall.

Lane returned the document to Inspector Thumm.

"Get anything out of it, Mr. Lane?" asked Bruno.

"Dr. Schilling is a meticulous workman," replied Lane. "And how are your suspicions of DeWitt faring this morning?"

"His movements yesterday," said Bruno quickly, as if this answered the question, "are being traced.'"

"You are not withholding anything from me, Mr. Bruno?" murmured Lane, rising and settling his cape about his shoulders. "But then, I'm sure you are not....Thank you, Inspector, for granting my request for a clear photograph of Longstreet. It may prove useful before the curtain comes down."

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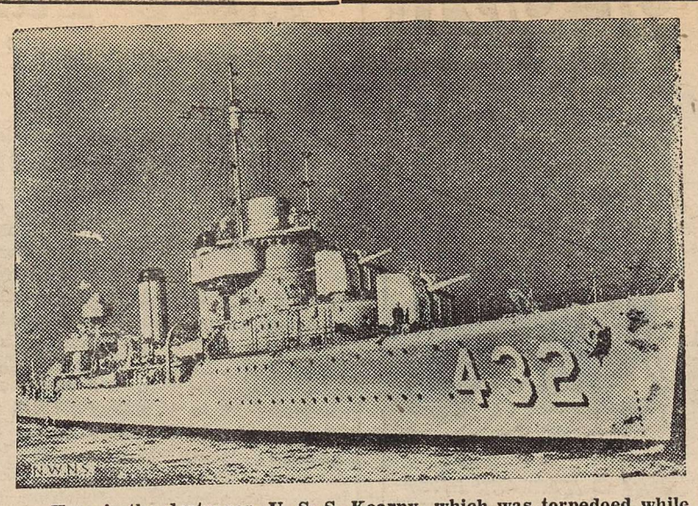

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Nevada University Instrument Locates, Records 'Quakes

Two earthquake shocks which gently shook a small area of Nevada and California to the west of Reno on the morning of October 14 excited many people who felt the shudder, but they were all in the day's work to a strange looking mechanism on the University of Nevada campus.

For to an instrument which takes in stride devastating 'quakes from all parts of the world, as light tremor in the Sierra Nevada mountains is nothing unusual.

Known as a seismograph, the university's earthquake-recording device is the only one in Nevada and was one of the first in the West.

Coming from Germany in 1916, it was set up in the basement of the Mackay School of Mines, where it has faithfully registered shocks from within a radius of 8,000 miles for the past 25 years.

Maintenance and observation of the seismograph is one of the duties of Dr. Vincent P. Gianella, professor of geology.

Dr. Gianella serves as a collaborator in seismology for the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, to which he reports the recordings of the instrument.

Persons who feel 'quakes at any time would render a much-appreciated service, said Prof. Gianella, if they would report the occurrence to him at once.

"It is sometimes difficult to determine the exact location of the tremor and I am always eager to get direct information from people who experienced the shock, he pointed out.

Amateur interest in seismography is increasing in Nevada, he said, and already several "hams" have built simple seismographs of their own. Home made instruments can be built cheaply and they record with a fair degree of accuracy.

For an instrument so delicate as the seismograph, the University of Nevada machine had an exciting and eventful youth.

While on its way from Germany in 1916, it was captured on the high seas by the British navy and taken to ap rize court in Scotland.

There it was given careful scrutiny by suspicious Englishmen, who finally decided that its passage would not alter the outcome of World War I, and the seismograph resumed its journey to Reno.

The British did, however, remove the directions for assembling the instrument, for they were printed in German. Fortunately J. Claude Jones, then professor of geology, was able to put the seismograph together without benefit of the instructions.

It was Prof. Jones who was largely responsible for the university's purchase of the instrument. For many years before 1916 he had recorded 'quakes on a comparatively crude and long-since outdated instrument known as the Ewing Duplex seismograph. This device recorded the great San Francisco earthquake of 1906 and its recording was reported in the investigation that followed.

A violent shock in Pleasant Valley in 1915 made Nevada "earthquake coiscious", and Prof. ones, together with Horace P. Boardman, now professor emeritus of civil engineering, began the negotiations which resulted in the erection of the present instrument on the University of Nevada campus. At that time Nevada was one of the few state universities to own a seismograph.

SIX INCH SERMON

REV. ROBERT H. HARPER

Sin and Its Consequences.
Lesson for Nov. 2: Galatians 6: 7,8; I John 1: 5—2: 6.
Golden Text: I John 1: 9.

The lesson begins with the old text about sewing and reaping. "God is not mocked", that is, he will not ignore the violation of his law and the flouting of his will. "Whatsoever a man seweth, that shall he also reap." The consummation of sin in a man's life is a natural consequence.. Like brings forth like among growing things and like brings forth like in human lives. And there is an increase in the harvest. A seed is multiplied many times. Evil deeds grow into a legion. "They have sown wind and they shall reap the whirlwind." Happily sowing and reaping applies to the good as well as the bad. "He that soweth unto the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap eternal life."

Sin is very deceitful and worst when it binds a man to its presence in his own life or deludes him into thinking that he can and somehow "get by". Try an inventory of the soul, try to see yourself as God sees you. Do you find yourself inETAOIN you. Do you find that you are in need of Christ's atoning grace? The blood of Jesus "cleanseth us from all sin."

John writes to men as little children and ruges them not to sin. Jesus will be their Advocate with the Father. Through him they can overcome sin. For Jesus not only forgives the past but also gives a man power over sin today.

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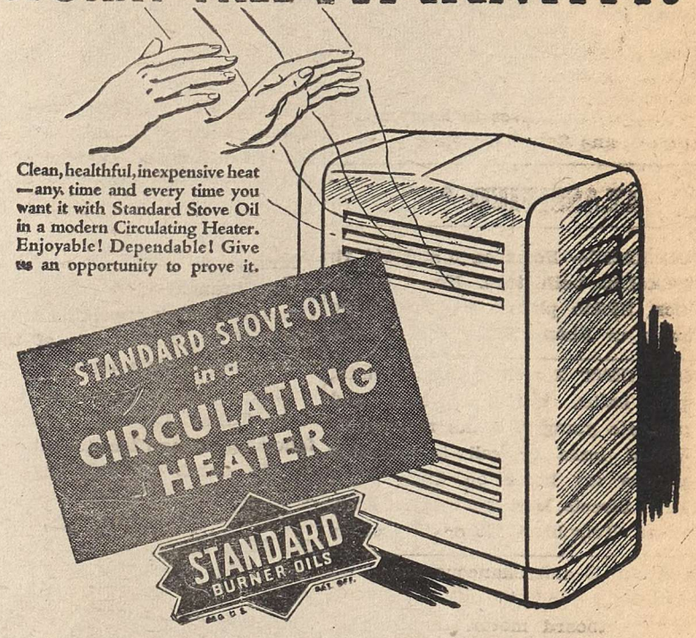
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Move to Reno—

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Jones, who have been managing the Donner Garage for the past five years, are leaving for Reno on Nov. 1. A. Cratty of Healdsburg will take over the business at that time.

Visit in Red Bluff—

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cabona have been visiting relatives in Red Bluff during the past week.

On Vacation—

J. Zorich is spending two weeks visiting with relatives in Sacramento, Modesto and San Francisco.

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Tahoe Area News Items

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Valentine presented a fine collection of books by masters of English literature to the Tahoe library this week.

Joe Henry, N. R. Mayfield and Jess Sisk were among the golfers on Tahoe Tavern links on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins of San Francisco are the parents of a son, born in the bay city on Tuesday morning, Oct. 28. Mrs. Collins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Robert Watson and granddaughter of one of Tahoe's pioneers, Bob Watson. Tahoe friends extend best wishes to the new arrival.

Mrs. E. W. Bliss, chairman of the Tahoe branch of the American Red Cross, this week appointed Mrs. N. R. Mayfield to have charge of the Roll Call drive in this region.

Harry Johanson, president of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club, appointed the following committee to take charge of the dance on Saturday, Nov. 8: Miss Kathleen Starratt, chairman; Mrs. Carl Wheat, Mrs. Carl Bechdolt Jr., Mrs. A. M. Henry, Mrs. Johanson, Miss Florence Vernon, Henry Worden and C. A. Swanson. Invitations will be extended to all nearby ski clubs to attend.

:: REGIONAL NEWS IN BRIEF ::

Plan Trip—

E. L. Loynd, Elden Tonini, Frank Gaiennie and Verne Shattuck are planning a duck hunt in the Tule Lake area this weekend.

Visting Here—

Keith Weeden, who is employed in the aircraft industry in Los Angeles, is visiting here with his parents for a few days.

Attend Celebration—

Mrs. J. B. Maxsom and Miss Mollie Maxsom are to attend the Admission Day celebration in Carson City tomorrow.

Visits in South—

Mrs. R. C. Gregory and son, George, left Tuesday night for Los Angeles where the former will visit with her mother for a week.

Women's Society—

The Women's Society of the Community Methodist Church will meet Thursday, Nov. 13, in the church parlor.

Laity House Guests—

Leland Laity and Don Hummel of San Francisco were guests at the W. H. Laity home over the weekend.

Back to Roseville—

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Eaton plan to leave Saturday to spend the winter months in Roseville.

TAHOE ITEMS

Two plays given at Tahoe Lake School last Thursday night drew a capacity audience from all lakeshore communities. The stage was decorated in the Hallowe'en motif and costumes, made by students, were very good. The Magic Pumpkin, given by thep rimary room, was directed by Mrs. James Dyer. Patsy Shows Them, presented by the intermediate room under the direction of Mrs. Philip Gallinger, was an interesting handling of a girl's conquest of fear of hobgoblins. The students sang Hallowe'en songs as a closing number.

Richard Carnell and Billy Bechdolt were practicing their telemarks and christianas on Mount Rose Sunday in preparation for winter skiing.

ONLY AUTO SHOW

The only automobile show in the United States this year was held last week in San Francisco.

MORE DEER KILLED IN TRUCKEE AREA THIS YEAR, REPORT

Approximately 20 per cent more deer were killed in the Truckee district this year, as compared to the total number killed last year, according to figure recently compiled from checkers' operations under the direction of Ranger H. I. Snider during the deer hunting season.

There were also about 25 per cent more hunters estimated in the field this year than last but the man days of hunting effort were less by about 30 per cent, being due, probably, to hunters having less time to hunt this year due to employment conditions which cut down their leisure.

Out of 464 deer antlers checked, 47 per cent were in the two pointer class, 23 per cent in the two to three pointer class, 20 per cent in three to four pointer class, four per cent in the four to five pointer class and only one per cent in the five to six pointer class, Snider said. There has been a greater percentage of the deer in two to four pointer class in the past few years which indicates a greater number of available deer are being taken before they have a chance to become over four years old. Snider believes this is also indicative that such close hunting might render a one buck limit per hunter more desirable in the the none too distant future to preserve the proper ratio of bucks in the total deer population.

Parctically all deer had shed the velvet from their antlers and were in very good condition. Over half the deer checked were killed in the second five day period which is in direct proportion with the hunting effort.

ARMY CHAPLAINS

A total of 1,449 chaplains were serving in the U. S. Army on August 12, 1941.

MACHINE TOOL OUTPUT

Nearly $1,000,000,000 worth of machine tools will be produced in the United States in 1941.

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Lightweigth rivets are a vital part of the modern fighting airplane. A total of 100,000 rivets goes into the Bell Airacobra, yet they add only 39 to 40 pounds to the ship's weight. In 150 different sizes, the rivets scale down to 1-64th of an inch in diameter.

High School News

by GEORGE KEETCH

SENIORS: The seniors have been working hard to get the school magazine, Static, out on Friday.

Elizabeth Gates and Azad Joseph were absent Friday and Clarabell Lewis on Monday afternoon.

JUNIORS: Harry Digesti has transferred to Albany High School and Ruth Marie Hunt of Geyserville, Cal. has joined the class. Jim Thomas replaces Digesti as boys' sports editor of the Static.

SOPHOMORES: Lois Jones was absent Monday.

FRESHMEN: The freshmen girls are making very nice looking trays in manual training classes.

Some of the boys, under the direction of Kenneth Foster, have been making shelves for the library.

Clifton Hensley was absent two days last week.

Anchored in Truckee—

M. J. McGwinn, district manager of the Postal Telegraph Company, has been various parts of the district since spring and is now stationed in Truckee for the winter.

NAVY AND ARMY GET 123 TRAINER PLANES IN LARGE DELIVERY

..LOS ANGELES, Oct. 30 —(ANF— Residents of the Los Angeles area saw graphic evidence recently of the rapid rate at which the American aircraft industry is producing military airplanes. Occasion was the greatest single delivery of airplanes to the U. S. Navy, Army and Marine Corps of 123 basic trainers by Vultee Aircraft, Inc.

After the mass formation flight over Los Angeles, the ships were flown to Army training centers at Moffett Field, Calif., Gunter Field, Ala., and Randolph Field, Tex., aid Navy fields at San Diego, Calif., Pensacola, Fla., and Corpus Christi, Tex.

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